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# A Joint Policing Strategy for Fingal | 2023-2026

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## KEEPING OUR COMMUNITIES SAFE



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# Introduction

We welcome this strategy from the Joint Policing Committee (JPC) which sets out how we will work in partnership for the next three years. Fingal Co Council and An Garda Síochána share a joint aim to partner with other statutory agencies and with local residents to keep existing and new communities in Fingal safe, protect those more at risk, and provide a high standard of service to local residents and visitors to the county. Devising this three-year strategy has involved input from each of our JPC members<sup>1</sup>; we acknowledge their efforts to address the many challenges raised by residents in our consultation process.

Preliminary results from the 2022 census show that Fingal is one of the fastest growing regions in Ireland with the highest number of young people in the Dublin region and a high proportion of non-Irish nationals. It is incumbent on us to ensure that each person in every community has the right to be safe and to feel safe, so that they can thrive and flourish. We want everybody to be able to participate safely and contribute to the best of their ability to civic and social life in the county.

The three-year JPC strategy focuses on the specific needs of our communities and residents, with special regard for

those who are more vulnerable. A shared approach to problem solving can ensure that situations do not develop to the point where they impact on the safety, or a feeling of safety in the community at large. This means that we work with each other and the community to ensure there is better coordination between services such as educational and youth work in Fingal, local health and mental health services, drug prevention, housing and the built environment, and actions taken to combat substance misuse, domestic abuse, youth crime, anti-social behaviour, and hate crime.

The strategy will guide the work of the JPC over the next three years. We have outlined specific and measurable objectives with defined timescales for delivery. They will be monitored on a quarterly basis by the JPC. Through the collaborative actions set out in this strategy, we will support and add value to the existing work of our members. Working in partnership with them and with our communities, we will ensure that Fingal retains its strong sense of place, identity and wellbeing, where visitors and residents can enjoy what the county has to offer in the safest possible way.

## **CLlr Ian Carey**

Chair  
Joint Policing Committee

<sup>1</sup> Appendix 1: JPC members

# The Context

## Joint Police Committee: Its purpose

The Joint Policing Committee (JPC) is a forum, where the local authority and senior Garda officers responsible for local policing, together with Oireachtas members and community interests consult, discuss and make recommendations on matters affecting the policing of the area.

It is a partnership where members operate with the minimum of formality to identify, raise awareness of and find solutions for issues impacting on, or causing concerns for the local community. In this way, it contributes to the improved safety and quality of life of the community.

The JPC is not a substitute for either regular day-to-day contact or consultation at ground level, which is a feature of ordinary policing. It should not detract from the maintenance and development of suitable liaison between local authority, Garda representatives and local communities.

## Fingal JPC Membership



Fingal Elected Members	15
Oireachtas Members	5
An Garda Síochána	2
Community	7
Local Authority	2



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# The Benefits

The JPC plans strategically to address individual priorities in relation to community safety and wellbeing in local areas. It entails a 'multi-sectoral approach, strong inter-agency collaboration and proactive dialogue with the community'<sup>2</sup>. Decisions made by any of the interests represented on the JPC are better informed as a result of the discussion of local needs and circumstances.

The JPC acts as a mutually supportive mechanism through which the local authority can have a role in conveying information and views to Garda Divisional and District officers to assist them in the formulation and operation of their annual policing plans.

Equally, Garda Divisional and District officers can convey information and views to the local authority to assist it in carrying out its duties, functions and activities.

This means that Fingal Co Council works in partnership with An Garda Síochana and the community to address certain areas of policing including but not limited to:

- Anti-social behaviour
- Drinking in public places
- Safer neighbourhoods – estate management (including tenancy enforcement and public lighting)
- Road safety and traffic management
- Planning of major events attracting large crowds
- Outdoor dining and casual trading
- Community-based crime prevention initiatives etc.

<sup>2</sup> Community safety and local community safety partnerships presentation Dept of Justice Dec 2022.

# Fingal: A Profile<sup>3</sup>

## POPULATION

The 2022 Census recorded a population of 330,506, in increase from 2016 of 11.6%, or just over 34,000 people. The County hence accounts for 6.4% of Ireland's population with only Dublin City and Cork City and County accounting for higher proportions. Fingal's population is expected to continue to grow with the Fingal Development Plan 2023 – 2029 forecasting that the county's population will increase by approximately 73,000 people by 2021, an increase of 22.1% versus 2022.

## AGE

26.7% of the Fingal population was under 18 years old in 2022, while 134,264 (40.6%) were under 30. 16% were between 50 & 64 while 11.05% of the population were aged 65 and over. The proportion of under 30's in Fingal was higher than at the national level, where 38% of the population was under 30. Fingal had the

youngest average age in 2022 at 36.2 years with some 63% of the population below the age of 44, compared to 58.3% nationally.

## HOUSEHOLDS

According to the 2022 Census, the number of private households in Fingal reached 107,846, an increase of 11.4% from 2016. Growth was higher than the national average rate over the period (+8.2%). Average household size in Fingal in 2022 was 3.02 persons.



## HAASE PRATSCHKE (HP) DEPRIVATION INDEX

Fingal is ethnically diverse with non-Irish nationals accounting for 18% of the population in 2016 (latest available data).



# Garda Sub-district Boundaries within Fingal Council Area



The Fingal JPC area comprises of parts of both the DMR West and the DMR North divisions (as highlighted in purple).

The DMR North also has partnerships with the Northwest and North Central sections within the Dublin City Council area.

The DMR West has partnerships with Fingal County Council, South Dublin County Council and Dublin City Council.



## VISION

Fingal will be a place where people of all ages feel safe and secure.

## MISSION

Fingal JPC will work together to keep people safe through the collaborative actions of the Local Authority, An Garda Síochána, local residents and other agencies.

## VALUES

Each of our JPC actions is underpinned by the principles of equality and human rights in accordance with Public Sector duty.

## STRATEGIC THEMES

- 1 Preventing, confronting, and investigating crime
- 2 Ensuring safer communities
- 3 Communicating and connecting.



## GOALS

- Goal 1 Keep people safe by reducing the levels of crime in Fingal.
- Goal 2 Ensure that safe, inclusive, and engaged communities experience a good quality of life in strong and resilient neighbourhoods.
- Goal 3 Engage with communities and stakeholders to understand and address their policing and safety needs.



Working together  
to keep people safe...

## IMPLEMENTATION PLAN:

### Theme 1 Preventing, confronting and investigating crime

Goal: Keep people safe by reducing the levels of crime in Fingal

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>1.1</b> Ensure targeted implementation of the National Policing Strategy and Divisional Policing Plans.	<b>1.1.1</b> Analyse crime trends at local level and implement relevant crime prevention interventions.	An Garda Síochána	FCC	Evidence-based, community-level supports and problem-orientated policing in local communities. Data-driven local and regional information-sharing to implement community level supports and policing. Coordinated response from the partners.
<b>1.2</b> Reduce crime and the fear of crime through multi-agency activities.	<b>1.2.1</b> Deploy sufficient resources to tackle all crime.	An Garda Síochána	FCC	Operation Soteria in place ensuring that assaults and other crimes which occur in a public place are dealt with proactively.
<b>1.3</b> Reduce the supply and availability of illicit drugs by criminal networks in Fingal.	<b>1.3.1</b> Tackle illegal drugs through targeted enforcement activity.	An Garda Síochána	North Dublin Regional Drug and Alcohol Task Force (NDRDATF) An Garda Síochána & JPC partners Blanchardstown Local Drugs and Alcohol Task Force	Reduction in drug dealing. Operation Tara implemented in targeted areas. Operation Fógra tackling drug intimidation throughout the DMR North and West implemented. DRIVE interagency group established. Increase in convictions for Drug Related Intimidation via DRIRP <sup>4</sup> .
	<b>1.3.2</b> Target human trafficking operations.	An Garda Síochána	Ruhama	Operation Realistic rolled out across the county. Utilise a human rights and equality approach to addressing human trafficking.

<sup>4</sup> DRIRP: Drug Related Intimidation Reporting Programme- partnership with AGS-nominated DRI inspector in each garda division to support reporting of offences



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## Theme 2 Ensuring Safer Communities

Goal: Ensure that safe, inclusive and engaged communities experience a good quality of life in strong and resilient neighbourhoods.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>2.1</b> Implement an action-based problem-solving, responsive community policing framework.	<b>2.1.1</b> Maintain a strong Garda presence by providing targeted patrols in neighbourhoods and rural villages.	An Garda Síochána		Reduction in levels of crime to meet Policing Plan targets. Fear of crime alleviated, particularly among the more vulnerable.
	<b>2.1.2</b> Prevent and reduce harm caused by anti-social behaviour to individuals and communities swiftly and effectively.	An Garda Síochána FCC	Blanchardstown Local Drugs & Alcohol Task Force (BLDATF)	A connected cross-agency approach towards sustaining safety in the JPC areas. Reuse and regeneration of derelict land and buildings in the county. Development of underutilised infill, corner and backstreet sites. High visibility Garda presence via mountain bike operations and regular patrols. Effective environmental controls in place. Number of street art opportunities.
	<b>2.1.3</b> Focus on local hot spot areas and occasions where anti-social behaviour is prevalent.	An Garda Síochána	FCC NWLDATF BLDATF	Harmonious and pleasant local environments. Numbers of well-managed safe events. Effective environmental management controls in place. Pop-up health teams in place at all large scale events in Fingal.
	<b>2.1.4</b> Facilitate problem solving training for resident/ neighbourhood watch and other community groups.	An Garda Síochána	FCC Safer Blanchardstown	Training delivered to targeted areas. Culture of 'good' citizenship developing in local areas.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
	<b>2.1.5</b> Engage in interagency collaborations to reduce drug & alcohol related harm.	NDRDATF	FCC An Garda Síochána BLDATF	Presence at festivals, public concerts and other events via HSE 'health teams' harm reduction festival initiative.
	<b>2.1.6</b> Promote the principles of crime prevention through environmental design in largescale housing infrastructure developments.	FCC	Garda Crime Prevention officer	Consultation with local developers and architects. Principles of good design applied in social housing developments. Garda crime prevention advice delivered. Number of Garda talks to older people.
	<b>2.1.7</b> Tackle issues in the built environment that make people feel unsafe.	FCC	An Garda Síochána PPN Tidy Towns Residents' associations Neighbourhood Watch	Rapid responses to graffiti, dumping and littering. Adequate street lighting in public places and spaces. Derelict site laws enforced. Vacant local authority dwellings restored to use. Public open space is accessible and designed so that passive surveillance is provided. Improved access between housing estates to local facilities by enhanced permeability and removal of barriers to active travel.
	<b>2.1.8</b> Work in co-operation with all relevant stakeholders to identify and to respond to problems relating to anti-social behaviour and good estate management, where appropriate.	FCC	An Garda Síochána, Residents' Groups, Fingal citizens, elected representatives and Approved Housing Bodies	In accordance with Fingal Co Co anti-social behaviour strategy and current legislation, effective estate management and public order oversight in place. Inter-agency collaborative working to promote good estate management. Timely removal of abandoned cars. Timely and effective response to reports of anti-social behaviour.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>2.2</b> Provide victim-focused services to ensure crimes against the most vulnerable are prioritised.	<b>2.2.1</b> Protect and support anyone who may be experiencing any form of domestic abuse, sexual or gender-based violence.	An Garda Síochána	DRCC Women's Aid Men's Aid FCC An Garda Síochána Divisional Protective Services Unit Ethnic Liaison Officers Aoibhneas Fingal Age-Friendly Alliance	Operation Faoiseamh and Caomhnaigh actively promoted and implemented where required. Domestic Abuse Co-ordination Teams in place and trained to engage with victims.
	<b>2.2.2</b> Respond to the needs of victims impacted by crime.	An Garda Síochána Domestic abuse co-ordination teams	FCC Rape Crisis centres, Women's Aid Men's Aid Sonas Housing Blanchardstown Family Support Service Aoibhneas	Continued focus on Hate Crime. Interventions relating to Domestic Violence and Coercive Control maintained. Appropriate supports for victims & the vulnerable in place.
	<b>2.2.3</b> Support and engage with formal interagency collaboration to tackle drug-related intimidation (DRIVE).	An Garda Síochána & JPC partners	NDRDATF BLDATF	DRIVE training delivered across community partners in Fingal.
<b>2.3</b> Reduce fear of crime among local communities.	<b>2.3.1</b> Conduct security information events at local level.	An Garda Síochána	FCC PPN Safer Blanchardstown	Crime prevention advice delivered. Advice on fraud and scam prevention, in particular, 'vishing' calls and 'smishing' texts provided. Education in the cybercrime area facilitated. Community Garda talks delivered.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
	<b>2.3.2</b> Promote Neighbourhood Watch, Community Text Alert and Business Watch schemes.	An Garda Síochána	FCC PPN	Text alert system implemented in chosen areas. Number of specific initiatives and outreach programmes, where the community can support local services and An Garda Síochána in their community safety work, identified and implemented. Public satisfaction rate as evidenced in Garda Public Attitudes survey.
	<b>2.3.3</b> Implement the use of ASBOs <sup>5</sup> in local authority housing stock.	An Garda Síochána	FCC	Implementation of relevant legislation. Numbers of issues satisfactorily resolved.
	<b>2.3.4</b> Ensure that parks, open spaces and the public realm are safe, accessible, and meet the needs of all users.	FCC	An Garda Síochána	Regional Parks and Open Space bye-laws enforced. Litter controls in place and numbers of prosecutions enforced. Water safety controls implemented at peak times.
	<b>2.3.5</b> Continue to review and monitor speed limits in local areas particularly in local housing estates.	FCC	An Garda Síochána	Minimum speed limits in place and reviewed periodically. Reduction in fatalities and injuries. Numbers of road-safety policing seminars delivered. Number of Local Authority road safety initiatives in place. Increased Road Traffic enforcement.
	<b>2.3.6</b> Maintain effective communication links between Gardaí and older people via local policing fora.	An Garda Síochána	FCC PPN Age Friendly Alliance Safer Blanchardstown	Garda Síochána Older Persons' Strategy updated and implemented at local level. Senior Text alert implemented. Crime Prevention Advice and Ambassador Programme for older people in place.

<sup>5</sup> Anti-social behaviour orders

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>2.4</b> Work in partnership to increase young people's safety.	<b>2.4.1</b> Work in partnership to support young people from entering the criminal justice system.	An Garda Síochána FCC Community Development	CYSPC Fingal Co Co Schools programmes. Sports partnership, Safer Blanchardstown Garda Diversionary projects NDRDATF DRIVE	Nos of FAI soccer leagues Increased educational attainment. Use of restorative practice promoted to reduce suspension and exclusion from schools.
	<b>2.4.2</b> Support the Planet Youth Primary Prevention Programme to reduce risk factors and increase protective factors for all young people in Fingal.	NDRDATF	FCC FCYPSC LCDC An Garda Síochána BLADTF	Planet Youth real time data is used to inform planning. Inclusion of the real time risk and protective factor data from the Planet Youth whole population study (conducted every 2 years) to inform plans.
	<b>2.4.3</b> Continue to support Garda Youth Diversionary Programmes in Garda districts.	An Garda Síochána Juvenile Liaison Programme An Garda Síochána Diversionary Project	FCC Community Development Crosscare Safer Blanchardstown Foróige	Reduction in numbers of children and young people entering the formal criminal justice system. Planet Youth real time data is used to inform planning.
	<b>2.4.4</b> Implement SHAHRP Programme to reduce alcohol use among young people.	NDRDATF	Participating schools	Schools identified using the BLDATF Drug and Alcohol Trend Monitoring System (DATMS).
	<b>2.4.5</b> Continue to implement Garda Schools programme and other educational initiatives.	An Garda Síochána	An Garda Síochána FCC Sports Partnership Comhairle na nÓg Foróige	Increase in numbers of young people engaged in local communities via sport, the arts and other recreational activities.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>2.5</b> Build a strong sense of place, identity and wellbeing through the development of safe places and equal, inclusive communities.	<b>2.5.1</b> Ensure that our policing service can be accessed by our diverse communities.	An Garda Síochána	Cairde FCC Fingal Ethnic Network Foróige	Garda Integration officer working with new communities.
	<b>2.5.2</b> Work with Local Authority Social Inclusion Officer to facilitate positive engagement.	FCC	An Garda Síochána PPN Safer Blanchardstown, Other community groups e.g. Corduff Task Group, Blakestown & Mountview Task Group, BMYI, NYP etc	Targeted interventions at local level. Anti-racism initiatives implemented.
<b>2.6</b> Combat substance and alcohol misuse.	<b>2.6.1</b> Continue to support existing agencies and community organisations in prevention and early intervention activities to reduce substance and alcohol misuse in local areas.	An Garda Síochána	FCC NDRDATF BLADTF	Operation Tara in place. 'Think before you Buy' campaign. DRIVE initiative operating across the county in response to drug-related violence and intimidation.
	<b>2.6.2</b> Address/adopt a zero-tolerance approach to drinking, and underage drinking and drugs misuse in public areas and in disused buildings.	An Garda Síochána	FCC BLADTF	Operation Irene implemented.
<b>2.7</b> Reduce the harm associated with substance use for young people and their families.	<b>2.7.1</b> Support evidence-informed programmes in schools and other forums.	NDRDATF Planet Youth implementation team.	An Garda Síochána BLADTF	No of schools' care teams developing responses to Planet Youth specific data for their school. No of referrals to family support & youth intervention services locally
	<b>2.7.2</b> Signpost parents and other family members to drug & alcohol supports.	NDRDATF	An Garda Síochána	Increase in referrals and engagement of An Garda Síochána and other partners in SÁMH groups in area.



Work in partnership  
to increase  
young people's safety...

### Theme 3 Communicating and Connecting

Goal: Engage with communities and stakeholders to understand and address their policing and safety needs.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<b>3.1</b> Communicate and promote effective working relationships between the JPC partners.	<b>3.1.1</b> Use JPC structures to enhance policing and environmental management.	FCC	An Garda Síochána PPN NDRDATF	A multi-agency JPC strategy and priorities implemented via an annual work plan. JPC meetings held at quarterly intervals. Interim interagency briefings /meetings held. Thematic meetings to include presentations from key strategic priorities held. Skills development and training provided for PPN to feed into JPC agenda. Community Safety fora operating effectively in accordance with legislation.
	<b>3.1.2</b> Utilise an evidence-informed approach by examining existing robust data sources on drugs/ alcohol and risk and protective factors to give baseline data to support JPC planning processes.	NDRDATF	FCC An Garda Síochána PPN BLADTF	HRB Fingal specific NWRDATF data and Planet Youth Fingal Data utilised. BLDATF DATMS Data and DRIVE data utilised to support baseline data.
<b>3.2</b> Ensure that effective communications structures are in place to address community safety needs at local level.	<b>3.2.1</b> Develop a JPC communications strategy.	JPC	FCC An Garda Síochána PPN NDRDATF	Communications strategy developed. Annual statutory public meeting held. JPC newsletter via Local Authority. Community Garda presence at Community Safety Fora meetings. PPN newsletters with local updates. Available technology utilised to maintain community contact. Engagement with local media to highlight work of JPC.

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
	<b>3.2.2</b> Highlight community engagement initiatives and outreach activities across the county providing information, advice and support/help #HeretoHelp.	FCC	An Garda Síochána PPN FCC Library Service Pieta House Suicide Awareness D15 FCC PPN Safer Blanchardstown NDRDATF	Responsible resident representation and involvement in place via community safety fora and JPC public meetings. Clean and Green initiatives via Tidy Towns. Community safety fora operating in local areas. PPN individual organisations engaging at local level. Community Text Alert operating successfully. Suicide awareness campaigns underway and supported. Promotional campaigns around community safety implemented. Effective information linkages and channels between JPC stakeholders and local communities. Number of community groups informed and engaged. DRIVE Interagency group.
	<b>3.2.3</b> Engage with young people, older people and more vulnerable residents to understand their fears and concerns.	An Garda Síochána	FCC Sports Partnership Comhairle na nÓg	Garda Schools Programmes. Midnight soccer leagues etc Summer programmes delivered. Presentations via Age Friendly Forum.
	<b>3.2.4</b> Work in partnership with the NDRDATF in data collection, signposting, community collaboration and strategic initiatives to reduce harm caused by drugs/alcohol to children, adults, families and the wider community.	NDRDATF BLD&ATF	An Garda Síochána Community Safety fora PPN Safer Blanchardstown	Engagement in local initiatives. Increased cross-agency collaboration. Increase in uptake of services by vulnerable families. Adult drug awareness courses linked to adult education courses in local secondary schools developed and delivered. % of young people engaged in risk & Protective data collection (Planet Youth) .

OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS	LEAD	PARTNER	MEASURES OF SUCCESS
<p><b>3.3</b> Continue to maintain a targeted focus on road safety in local areas.</p>	<p><b>3.3.1</b> Conduct Road Safety and awareness initiatives.</p>	<p>RSA Roads Safety Officer and Active Travel</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána FCC PPN</p>	<p>Reduced number of fatalities in Fingal. Reduced numbers of incidents at local level. Schools Road Safety programmes delivered. Messages around "Brake for Road Safety Week" promoted. Ongoing cross agency Road Safety Promotional Plans. Road Safety Plan in place. Infrastructure, support, training and outreach programmes provided that make walking and cycling to school safer.</p>



# Appendix 1

## Fingal Joint Policing Committee 2019 – 2024

### FINGAL COUNTY COUNCIL ELECTED MEMBERS CONTACT DETAILS

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# Glossary

<b>ASBO</b>	Antisocial behaviour orders can be used to stop anyone aged 10 or over from harassing, causing alarm or distress to other people who aren't in the same household. An order can be issued for at least two years and lists what they must stop doing.
<b>BLDATF</b>	Blanchardstown Local Drugs & Alcohol Task Force
<b>CYPSC</b>	Children and Young People's Services Committees – Interagency working to improve the lives of children, young people and families in Ireland.
<b>DATFS</b>	Drugs and Alcohol Task Forces research, develop and implement a coordinated, regionally appropriate response to substance misuse.
<b>DATMS</b>	Drugs and Alcohol Trend Monitoring System
<b>DMR</b>	Dublin Metropolitan Region – Garda Síochána Division
<b>DRCC</b>	Dublin Rape Crisis Centre
<b>DRIVE</b>	Drug Related Intimidation & Violence Engagement' project – a national interagency initiative involving the NDRDATF, Garda Síochána and other key partners to build the capacity of communities to respond to drug related intimidation and violence. Each area including Fingal will have a dedicated DRIVE Liaison, group, capacity building for community partners and referral pathways for victims.
<b>DRIRP</b>	Drug-related Intimidation Reporting Programme
<b>FCC</b>	Fingal Co Council

## GARDA OPERATIONS

### CAOMHNAIGH AND FAOISEAMH –

Supporting victims of domestic abuse.

**FÓGRA** – Tackling drug intimidation throughout the DMR North.

**IRENE** – Tackling public disorder issues in public spaces.

**SAUL AND TWINTRACK** – Addressing anti-social behaviour on public transport.

**SOTERIA** – Ensuring that assaults and other crimes which occur in a public place are dealt with in a proactive manner.

**TARA** – Responsible for drug seizures and arrests.

**REALISTIC** – Sets out the regional strategic approach to monitoring human trafficking.

## HAAS PRATCHE DEPRIVATION INDEX

A census-based deprivation index for the Republic of Ireland.

<b>HRB HEALTH</b>	Research Bureau
<b>JPC</b>	Joint Policing Committee
<b>LCDC</b>	Local Community Development Committees
<b>NDRDATF</b>	North Dublin Regional Drugs and Alcohol Task Force
<b>PPN</b>	Public Participation Network
<b>RSA</b>	Road Safety Authority
<b>SAMH</b>	Substance Abuse & Mental Health groups: An initiative to support communities to achieve more peaceful lives.
<b>SHAHRP</b>	School Health and Alcohol Harm Reduction Project is a classroom-based programme aimed at reducing alcohol-related harm and risky consumption.

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